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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
: Examiner: J. Hartary  
HITOSHI SUGIMOTO, ET AL. )  
: Group Art Unit: 2853  
Appln. No.: 08/811,234 )  
: Filed: March 3, 1997 )  
: For: INK-JET RECORDING ) March 13, 2000  
: APPARATUS AND INK-JET )  
: RECORDING METHOD USING )  
: INKS OF DIFFERENT )  
: DENSITIES, AND RECORDED )  
: ARTICLES )

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

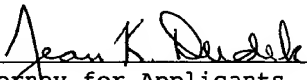
Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 13, 1999 for three (3) months from December 13, 1999 to March 13, 2000.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 870.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to

Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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